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REGARDING: Palestine Government reception of the Emperor of Ethiopia has caused him chagrin and disappointment. Nature of reception can only be attributed to policy dictated from London.

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Jerusalem

Dated May 9, 1936

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Secretary of State,

Washington.

May 9, 11 a. m.

My telegram of May 8, 5 p. m.

Government reception of the Emperor caused him chagrin and disappointment. The High Commissioner was represented only by aide de camp, and other high officials by underlings at the reception here. Government informed Ethiopian Consul two hours before arrival of special train that only Emperor, Empress, children and two servants would be lodged at best hotel (rest of the fifty to be put up at very inferior hotel) instead of at Government House where the Emperor had confidently expected to be the guest of the High Commissioner. The account of the Emperor's reception can only be attributed to policy dictated from London.

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